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1. OUR INFORMATION FROM KUWAIT FUND SOURCE JIBES WITH THAT CONTAINED REFTELS. FUND HAS PROPOSED TO ITS BOARD THAT \$39 MILLION BE CONTRIBUTED AS ADDITIONAL FINANCING FOR RAHAD PROJECT. BOARD APPROVAL EXPECTED. ACCORDING TO OUR SOURCE ARAB FUND HAS NOT YET REACHED DECISION ON ITS SPECIFIC ACTION. UNFORTUNATELY WE NOT YET ABLE PROVIDE DETAILED INFO REQUESTED RE FINANCING TERMS. AMIR LEAVES FOR OFFICIAL VISIT TO SUDAN TODAY, MARCH 18, AND DETAILS OF NEW LOANS MAY BE ANNOUNCED SOON IN KHARTOUM.

2. COMMENT: WE WERE TOLD THAT KUWAIT FUND THINKS RAHAD BASICALLY VERY GOOD AND IMPORTANT PROJECT. THEREFORE, IT WILL DO EVERYTHING IT CAN TO MAKE SURE PROJECT CONTINUES. SIMILARLY, WE HAVE BEEN TOLD PREVIOUSLY BY ARAB FUND DIRECTOR JAROUDI THAT THE PERSONALLY VERY INTERESTED IN AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT OF SUDAN. KUWAIT FUND SOURCE EXPRESSED DISMAY THAT AID NOT INVOLVED IN REFINANCING OF RAHAD. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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